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C O N F I D E N T I A L MOSCOW 19049

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PINT, SHUM, UR
SUBJECT: PODRABINEK TRIAL REPORTEDLY TO BEGIN AUGUST 15

1. AS DEPARTMENT IS PROBABLY AWARE FROM WIRE SERVICE
REPORTS, ASSOCIATES OF ALEKSANDR PODRABINEK STATE
THAT HE WILL GO TO TRIAL NEXT TUESDAY, AUGUST 15,
IN ELEKTROSTAL'.

2. TO MEET 48 HOUR NOTIFICATION RULE, EMBASSY IS
FILING TRAVEL NOTE THIS AFTERNOON, THURSDAY, AUGUST
10, FOR EMBOFF TO GO TO ELEKTROSTAL' BY EMBASSY CAR
AUGUST 15 AND 16. IN VIEW OF FACT THAT ELEKTROSTAL'
IS IN CLOSED AREA OF MOSCOW OBLAST, HOWEVER, EMBASSY
DOUBTS THAT MFA WILL GRANT AN EXCEPTION.

3. IF QUERIED BY PRESS, WE INTEND TO NOTE THAT
WE UNDERSTAND TRIAL IS BEING HELD IN A CLOSED
AREA, BUT THAT WE HAVE REQUESTED AN EXCEPTION SO
THAT EMBOFF CAN TRAVEL TO ELEKTROSTAL'. TOON
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